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In re Application of

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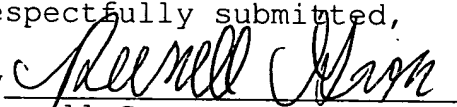
Sir:

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properly signed by the Applicant(s) and referring to the above case  
by its Serial Number and filing date, in compliance with 37 CFR  
1.63, and a copy of the Notice. Accordingly, the above-identified  
patent application is now complete.

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Respectfully submitted,

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*Filing Date Granted*

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- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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